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In re Application of:

Chang Ahn, et al.

Application No.: 09/924,278

Filed: August 7, 2001

For: LOAD BALANCING MODEL FOR
MULTILINK FRAME RELAY

Examiner: Khuong, Lee T.

Art Group: 2665

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.48(a) TO CORRECT INVENTORSHIP

Sir:

The undersigned hereby respectfully requests and petitions that the above-referenced application be amended under 37 C.F.R. §1.48(a) to correct inventorship of the application.

The application was filed on August 7, 2001 naming the following persons as inventors of the present patent application:

- (1) Chang Ahn, a citizen of the United States having a residence address of 2799 Rubino Circle, San Jose, California 95125; and
- (2) Swaminathan Sundararaman, a citizen of India having a residence address of 7825 Orion Lane, Cupertino, CA 95014.

Please correct and amend the present patent application so that Ronak Desai, a citizen of India and having residence address of 41176 Saint Anthony Drive, Fremont, CA 94539, is additionally named as joint inventor, so that Chang Ahn, Swaminathan Sundararaman, and Ronak Desai are then named as joint inventors of the present patent application.

It is respectfully submitted that the error in inventorship of the present patent application was made without any deceptive intent by Ronak Desai or anyone else. It is further submitted that this PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a) is being diligently made.

Enclosed with this PETITION are the following documents:

- (1) verified STATEMENT OF FACTS by Ronak Desai under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(a);
- (2) a DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY by the actual joint inventors of the present patent application; and
- (3) a written CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE document.

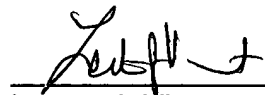
Also enclosed is a check for \$130.00 in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) for correction of inventorship.

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Respectfully submitted,

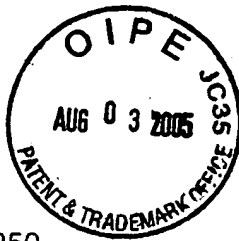
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CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) FOR CORRECTION OF
INVENTORSHIP

Sir:

The present patent application is assigned to Cisco Technology, Inc., a California Corporation having a place of business at 250 West Tasman Drive, San Jose, CA 95134, the assignment having been recorded at reel number 012485 and frame number 0560 at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

Assignee Cisco Technology, Inc. hereby consents to the correction of inventorship, the Petition for which is filed herewith, which seeks to add Ronak Desai as an additional inventor for the above-referenced patent application.

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The undersigned attorney Mallun Yen states that she is authorized by Cisco Technology, Inc. (a subsidiary of Cisco Systems, Inc.) to make this Consent of Assignee for Correction of Inventorship.

Date: July 15, 2005

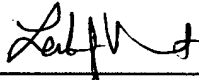


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